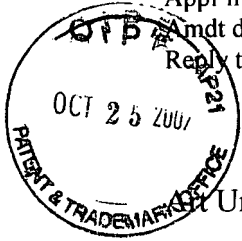


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**AMENDMENT AFTER FINAL UNDER 37 CFR 1.116**

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Dear Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated June 20, 2007, please amend the above-captioned patent application as set forth below. Applicants have requested a one month extension of time to extend the due date for responding to the Office Action to October 20, 2007. Payment for the one month extension has been authorized to be charged to the deposit account of the undersigned.

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims, which begins on page 3 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 7 of this paper.